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BY BOUTELLE & BURR. {SINGLE COPY THREE CENTS.} BANGOR, ME., SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 28, 189_. VOL. LVIII--NUMBER 75.

I Was Weak, Tired, Blue.

"I was completely dragged out. My back ached terribly. I couldn't sleep, and my head often felt as though it would burst. I was weak, tired and blue until I used Paine's Celery Compound. Oh! how much good that did me. I grow stronger every day. My aches and pains have left me, my brain is clear, and work does not tire me as it used to." —GRACE THISTLE WATSON.

Paine's Celery Compound is the perfect medicine for this season. It is a food for nerves and brain, a strength-giver to the muscles, and a common sense invigorator for men and women, young and old, rich and poor.

Do You Wear Pants?

If you do, be sure and attend the Largest Pant Sale ever taken place in Bangor.

100 Different Styles

now exhibited in our large show window, but this is only one-half of the numerous styles in stock.

We will Sell a Good Style All Wool Light Pant at $1.50.

We offer at this sale several lots of Pants recently closed out from a large manufacturer, at less than the cost of the material, at

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"Boss" One-Price Clothing House,

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TRUE'S PIN WORM ELIXIR!

A Wonderful Remedy! Marvelous in its Effects!

Mothers, save your children from the annoying and fatal effects of pin worms, by giving

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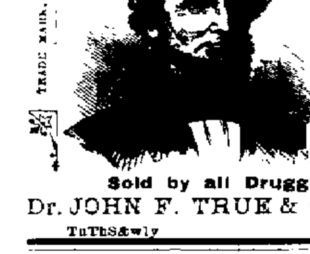

A GREAT DISCOVERY.

It is claimed to be the safest, most potent and most effectual remedy known for this child killing disease. As a cathartic vermifuge it has no equal. It expels all kinds of worms, and in fact all living creatures that infest the bowels of suffering humanity, are triumphantly expelled by this truly wonderful remedy. Testimony in its favor comes in from all sections where it is known. It not only effectually removes from the system these troublesome and disagreeable worms, but children who have been weak and puny for years, are at once improved and restored to health by its use. Being a mild and gentle laxative, it is a corrective of the greatest value. It is purely vegetable and cannot be beat. It has also expelled several lizards. One eight inches in length, is spotted, belongs to the water species and looks like a veritable young alligator. Fits caused by worms and indigestion.

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NEW LAMPS,

We have just received a new lot of Piano and Banquet Lamps. Also new shapes in

Linen Piano Shades,

with Lace Trimmings.

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CARPET PARLORS, and see the finest desplay of

CARPETS AND DRAPERIES,

China and Persian Art Silks, Elegant Rugs, New Couch Covers to be found in Bangor.

These goods were personally selected from the retail department of the leading New York dealers, and comprise many styles not to be found east of New York.

DO YOU WANT

a carpet for your parlor, sitting room or hall? If so see our line of the best Body Brussels. Over 75 styles, most of them private designs.

IF YOU WISH

Portieres, don't fail to see our stock. It will cost nothing but your time and you may find what will please you.

MR. WILLIAM SWEET

will be pleased to serve all who desire his services in fitting new or old work promptly and in the very best manner. Please favor us with a call.

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nor custom stale" the old timer's love for

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NEW REGULATIONS.

A Circular Issued by the Treasury Department.

WASHINGTON, March 27. The Secretary of the Treasury has issued the following circular to customs officers in regard to immediate transportation of packed packages:

In order to extend the privileges contained in the act of June 10, 1880, to packed packages imported under the act of May 1st, 1876, collectors are instructed that original packages containing inclosures not exceeding one hundred dollars in value may be entered for immediate transportation without appraisement not presenting of bill of lading or manifest of the original package showing that it is intended for

An Interior Port

to which it is proposed to transport it. The consignee at the port of first arrival must file with his entry a statement in the form of an invoice, showing the respective owners, quantities and values of the several packed packages inclosed in the original package, which statement shall be a copy of the bills or memoranda in his possession covering such inclosures, and he shall verify such statement before the collector. The statement so made will be treated as pro forma invoice and no bond shall be required for the production of a certified invoice.

CAUGHT IN THE FIRE.

Hotel Burned and Three Persons Perish.

AUSTIN, Pa., March 27. Henry's Commercial Hotel was burned this morning. Lizzie McCavish, a domestic; John McCarty, a boarder, and an unknown man were burned to death.

DRUGGISTS ARRESTED

For Violating their Licenses.

LYNN, Mass., March 27. Eighteen Lynn druggists were arrested this forenoon, charged with violating their liquor license. They will appear in court in the morning.

A FIERY BOYCOTT.

One Feature of the Rochester Trouble.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 27. The Journal of the Knights of Labor this week publishes a boycott over the names James Hughes, D. W. W., and Walter R. Westbrook, D. R. S., in which they say:

"Brothers, See that you appoint committees at once to call upon every retail clothing dealer in your locality. Tell them they must countermand all orders of Rochester made clothing. Give all retail dealers to understand they must not buy clothing from any Rochester manufacturers until the tyrants who are in the Rochester combine with $116,500 capital, meet organized labor and treat us with justice as free men, and not as slaves."

YOUNG BUT TOUGH.

A Murderer Who Should Come to Grief.

PARIS, Texas, March 27. Since the capture of Bill Budgins and most of the members of his gang, February 6th, the officers have secured information to the effect that Budgins has committed at least four murders which have heretofore remained a mystery. Budgins is only 22 years old.

INSTANTLY KILLED.

Man Fell from Box Car.

NASHUA, N. H., March 27. Henry White, a middle aged man, fell from a box car last night in the Concord railroad yard and was killed instantly. He had been employed on the road about ten days. Papers found in his pockets indicate that he was from Fitchburg.

CALIFORNIA.

The Brandy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27. The Chronicle says that an attempt is being made by a syndicate of local jobbers to control the brandy market. In the bonded warehouses in this State there are now stored fully one million gallons of brandy, made since 1889. Nearly one-half of this amount is held by the syndicate.

Independent producers will fight the brandy trust, and, it is stated, will convert large quantities of wine now on hand into brandy.

ALMOST INCREDIBLE.

Exciting and Thrilling News from Manchester.

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 27. General Manager MacKinnon, of the Concord railroad, with Mr. Stowell, of the construction department, left this morning with five carloads of sleepers to be used relaying rails on the route from North Weare to Henniker.

ON SEVERAL CHARGES.

An Interesting Case Decided.

WORCESTER, Mass., March 27. The jury in the case of Emeline B. Holman against W. W. Rice, Henry W. King and Charles M. Rice, comprising the law firm of Rice, King & Rice, returned a verdict this morning for the plaintiff.

The suit was brought to recover the sum of $5,000, given by the plaintiff to Mr. King in settlement of a suit for $30,000, brought against her by Mrs. Almena D. Kendall, for the alienation of the affections of her husband, William R. Kendall.

Plaintiff Alleged

that King obtained the money from her by means of fraud, intimidation and undue influence while she was at his office alone with him. Conspiracy is also charged against him.

The jury found a verdict against King on the first charge, but adjudged him innocent of conspiracy. This finding is supposed to destroy the single exception taken by defendant's counsel, which related to the alleged conspiracy.

Miss Holman will get back her $5,000. All the parties interested live in Worcester.

HAYTI WANTS

United States to Assume a Protectorate.

NEW YORK, March 27. A Washington special says that private advices indicate the failure of the mission of Admiral Gherardi to secure Mole St. Nicholas, Hayti, as a naval coaling station.

Admiral Gherardi was delegated to act in this matter primarily because of the lack of confidence on the part of the State Department in Minister Douglass. The quid pro quo demanded by the Haytien government for Mole St. Nicholas is greater than the instructions to Gherardi will permit him to accept.

Hayti wants the United States to assume a protectorate over the island.

BITTERLY FOUGHT CASE.

Jury Out all Night and Disagreed.

LOWELL, Mass., March 27. The jury in the case of Putnam vs. Glidden for $600 for the sale of a pair of horses, was, after being out all night, sixteen hours in all, reported this morning a disagreement. The case attracted wide attention on account of the prominence of the parties and the bitterness with which the case was fought.

THE KINCAID CASE.

Defence will Claim Self Defence.

WASHINGTON, March 27. The trial of Charles E. Kincaid, for the murder of ex-Congressman Taulbee, was resumed today. After putting in some cumulative evidence the prosecution rested its case and General Grosvenor made his opening

HUGE ROBBERY.

The Public Treasury in Ecuador Depleted.

"Black Cloak Fraternity" the Supposed Robbers.

NEW YORK, March 27. Advices from Guayaquil, Ecuador, state that the public treasury at Riabambamba has been robbed of twenty-five thousand twenty dollar gold pieces.

The robbers are supposed to be members of the notorious criminal band called the "Black Cloak Fraternity."

AND STILL THEY COME.

Over a Thousand Cases of Grip in Dubuque, Iowa.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, March 27. There are over 1,000 cases of grip in this city. Many cases have developed into pneumonia and a number of fatalities have resulted.

Senator Allison and Congressman Henderson are both afflicted with the malady.

WILL NOT BE FLOATED.

The Galena Left to Destruction.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., March 27. Efforts will not be made to float the U. S. S. Galena, ashore at Gay Head.

Everything of value that can be saved will be removed from the wreck. The coal and light articles have been removed from the tug Nina.

The Triana, on Cuttyhunk, is breaking up rapidly. Wreckers have been at work loosening her boilers and machinery and the tug Wm. Slater left this port to-day to remove them.

To Pump Her Out.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., March 27. Steam pumps have been put aboard the U. S. S. Galena at Gay Head. An effort will be made to-day to pump her out to enable the wreckers to save material from the lower hold. There is a smooth sea on Gay Head to-day.

AFTER TWO YEARS.

A Body Identified by Two Persons.

LOWELL, Mass., March 27. Two sons of Edward J. Herret, who was drowned by falling off the bridge at Hooksett, N. H., two years ago, identify the body of the man which came down the river yesterday as their father's.

GOV. BULKELEY'S REQUISITION

Honored by the Governor of Rhode Island.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 27. Governor Bulkeley, of Connecticut, has made an official demand upon the Governor of Rhode Island for the surrender of Thomas Garnett, wanted by the police of Connecticut. Governor Davis will recognize the validity of the extradition papers.

He says: "I am aware that all over the country and especially in Connecticut the opinion prevails that Mr. Bulkeley is not the lawful Governor, but who is to decide? My personal opinion is that Morris is the lawful Governor, but as Bulkeley is in possession of the seat Bulkeley is Governor de facto and I do not feel that I can properly decline to recognize him as the executive."

KENTUCKY.

Gen. Ekin Dead.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 27. General James Ekin, of the United States army, died here this morning, aged 72. In 1882 he became Assistant Quartermaster General of the army and retired in the following year with the brevet rank of Brigadier General of volunteers and in the regular army. After the assassination of President Lincoln he was appointed a member of the military commission to try Mrs. Surratt and her fellow conspirators.

DRUGGISTS AND CLERKS

Convicted of Liquor Selling.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 27. Sixteen druggists and drug clerks were convicted of illegal selling of liquor in the Sixth District Court to-day. Every case was appealed.

DAMAGE BY FLOOD.

A Loss of $10,000 Incurred.

CONCORD, N. H., March 27. The damage to the city caused by the carrying away this afternoon by the high water of the toll bridge over the Merrimac river will be fully $10,000.

WHITE CAP OUTRAGE

A Farmer in Kansas Murdered.

TOPEKA, Kansas, March 27. Thomas Duncan, a farmer of Cheyene county, has been murdered by the "white caps." He was accused of having pilfered grain from neighbors in small quantities.

Business Items.

"I'm so fat I can hardly breathe." Well, you only need to work a little harder, but when short breath come from a cough or asthma, try Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam. d&w1w.

THE SPRING MEDICINE.

The popularity which Hood's Sarsaparilla has gained as a spring medicine is wonderful. It possesses just those elements of health-giving, blood-purifying and appetite-restoring which everybody seems to need at this season. Do not continue in a dull, tired, unsatisfactory condition when you may be so much benefitted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood and makes the weak strong. D

There is danger in impure blood. There is safety in taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. 100 doses one dollar. 1

"Despise not the day of small things," as the tiny pill (taken from a vial of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets) said to the 300-pound man, suffering from indigestion. As a gentle, thorough laxative, these Pellets resemble Nature more closely in their action than anything before discovered. Business and professional men, whose habits are sedentary, need something of this kind to ward off sick headache, biliousness and dyspepsia, but which will not strain and rack the digestive organs as did the old-fashioned pills. 25 cents per vial, at all druggists. WS&w

No buffet should be without a bottle of Angostura Bitters, the South American appetizer. Manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. Ask your druggist. mch26 TTS&w

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Beecham's Pills act like magic on a weak stomach. d&w 1

Special Notice.

Send an order by letter or postal card for one of

CARY'S

Superior Sugar Cured

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FRANK CARY

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BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. Walter Nye, of South Brewer, leaves Monday morning for Boston, where he expects to engage in business.

The yawl boat being built for the Ætna is almost completed and is now being calked and painted. The boat is both light and strong and will be very serviceable.

The Easter concert to have been given on Sunday evening at the M. E. church will not occur until a week from to-morrow, when an interesting programme will be carried out.

Mr. E. A. J. Gilmore has had the carpenters at work on his stable in the rear of his home on Union street, building a box stall and enlarging the door, so that he may keep his horse at home.

Even rivalry exists as to who shall obtain the first May flowers of the season. The credit this year belongs to Miss Linnie Powers, of Brewer, to whom the WHIG is indebted for some choice specimens.

Street Commissioner Holbrook has commenced at once on a work agreeable to all of our citizens, that of clearing the concrete sidewalks of the large accumulation of sand which was sprinkled on the ice during the winter.

The services in the Catholic churches in Bangor during Passion Week are drawing large numbers of the residents of South Brewer who adhere to that church and the electric cars have carried full loads every day for several days.

Work on the Bon Ton, to put her in condition for service, has been going on actively since the ice left the river, but it has been found that the pipes have frozen up and an effort is to be made by getting up steam, to thaw them out.

Canon & Co. are making excellent progress on their directory and expect to finish the work in the business portions of the city to-day, after which they will push the work of house to house visitation, which will be a comparatively easy part of the work.

A passenger on the electric cars who attempted to pass out by the forward end of the car and nearly fell over a peddler's pack piled against the door, has asked how long since the fast electric express had been established between the toll bridge and the South End.

Hon. Frank Jones, of Portsmouth, N. H., was in the city Thursday night, the guest of his friend, Capt. F. G. Arey, and yesterday morning they went to Sorrento to spend the day, returning to this city last evening. Mr. Jones took the night train on his return to Portsmouth.

Golden Sheaf Council, United Fellowship, gave a very interesting entertainment and social at their hall last evening, many being present from Bangor. A quilt made by the ladies of Golden Sheaf was sold by tickets, from which quite a sum was realized. The programme was successfully presented and listened to with much interest by those present.

Mr. W. C. Haskell, of the East Maine Conference Seminary at Bucksport, who has been supplying the pulpit of the M. E. church since the resignation of Rev. F. E. Whitham, has received a call from that church to supply there for the coming year and has accepted. After his graduation from the Seminary in June he will remove to this city, where he will remain the remainder of the year.

The boys are stricken with the annual stilt craze and they are now to be seen some striding about, two or three feet higher than nature made them and others, less venturesome, on stilts not quite as high and dangerous are their delight and they made through them with keen enjoyment, which is only lessened when they find one leg fast in the mud are obliged to use their original legs to get out of the mud.

The schooner Vicksburg, which was carried from the wharf at Ayer's mill with the ice when it went out and came to grief on a point of rocks on the Hampden side of the river, is not very badly damaged, according to her commander, Capt. Chandler. He thinks that the bottom is not much injured, but the upper works are considerably strained, so that the deck load will have to be removed that repairs may be done.

The first of next week operations will be resumed at the Smith Planing mill, which has been shut down this week to receive necessary repairs before beginning on the summer season. Mr. George W. Patten's brush handle mill which obtains its power from the former, will also start up next week, the proprietor having taken advantage of the wait to look over the machinery and see that everything is in readiness for business.

The boxes of seeds for both flower and vegetable garden now given conspicuous places in the stores, remind one that summer is coming before long and soon we shall see the welcome vegetation springing into view, a welcome sight to eyes that all winter have gazed on nothing but snow. No one is able to appreciate spring as can the New Englander, who is deprived of the sight of growing vegetation for several months and nowhere does the green grass and leaves have a fresher or a greener look then here.

As to-morrow is Easter Sunday and there are large numbers of the residents who desire to attend services at the churches both in Brewer and Bangor, two cars will be run during the day to accommodate all who may desire to travel on them. From now out, we are informed by the management, two cars will be run all day on pleasant Sundays, as in summer. They will prove a great convenience to people in South Brewer and all along the road, who wish to attend services in Bangor.

OVER THE SEGEUNKEDUNK. There was a runaway at South Brewer yesterday, which for a time threatened to cause considerable havoc, but fortunately the only thing seriously damaged was the dump cart attached to the runaway, which will need to be made again before using. As the electric car was rounding the curve at the bridge, a horse attached to a dump cart and driven by Mr. Beard, of Orrington, came down over the descent leading to the bridge and as the horse appeared a little uneasy the motor man kept a firm hand on the brakes. Just before the car met the team the board on which Mr. Beard was seated slipped from under him and as he fell backward into the cart his foot struck the animal and started the horse into a wild run with the driver lying upon his back in the cart and holding fast

Sunday Services.

South Brewer Congregational church—Rev. C. M. Perry, pastor. At 7 A. M. a sunrise meeting will be held in the chapel under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. At 10.30 Mr. E. B. Stillson and Rev. Mr. Phillips will present the work of the Maine Bible Society; at 11.30, Sunday school; 6 P. M., Y. P. S. C. E. prayer meeting; 7, Easter concert. All are invited to these services.

First Congregational church, Rev. B. B. Merrill, pastor. "Easter Obligations" will be the subject of the morning sermon. The church will be tastefully decorated, and a fine Easter concert is arranged for the evening at 7 o'clock.

MAINE MELANGE.

Many Interesting Clippings in the Pine Tree State.

News, Notes and Gossip Gathered from Many Sources.

Cumberland.

The Brunswick *Telegraph* says the relatives of Oscar Merrill are very much worried over his disappearance, which occurred the first of the week. He was last seen in Portland.

A boom is reported at East Deering; a large number of men are now employed at the Hawkins' shoe shop and the Eastern Forge works at East Deering, and a great scarcity of rents exist in that locality. It is reported that Mr. L. W. Dyer will erect some eight or more houses at East Deering in the early spring.

Fletcher, the young commercial traveller who shot himself in the breast, recently, is now at the Greely Hospital, Portland, and is improving in health, notwithstanding the fact that the bullet has not as yet been extracted.

Daniel Goulding, the young Eastport man who was taken to Portland, charged with robbing the mails, has been unable to secure bail, and is still at the county jail. His trial will take place next month.

News has been received in Portland that the schooner Florence which had been ashore near Sagua for a month past had been floated and taken into that port.

Rev. C. E. O. Nichols has accepted the rectorship of St. Paul's Parish, Brunswick, and will enter upon his duties the Sunday after Easter.

Brunswick is one of the towns made unhappy by the new State valuation. The *Telegraph* says: That Brunswick has increased in wealth the past decade, but few will deny but that it has added to its wealth $1,200,000, as the valuation commission asserts, is preposterous. The folly of the idea can be seen from the foregoing figures. It is well known that the property is assessed by the town at a full, fair cash value, yet that valuation is lower by half a million than that to which the valuation commission has doomed us. A largely signed remonstrance has been forwarded to Augusta.

Hancock.

A case of cruelty to animals came to light in Ellsworth, last week, which for atrocity and inexcusableness has few parallels among crimes of that nature, says the *American*. Late on Friday afternoon last, it came to the knowledge of City Marshal Sweeney, that two horses belonging to George A. Gregory, were absolutely starving. Mr. Sweeney visited Gregory's stable and found that one of the horses was down and unable to get on his feet and that the other was just able to stand. There was not a pound of hay in the barn, the animals had been without food and water for several days and had eaten all the manure within their reach. Hay and water were procured at once, but one of the horses, quite a valuable stallion, was past restoration and died the following night. The other animal, a mare, will probably be brought around all right. During all this time the owner of these poor, abused horses, had spent his days bumming around the rumshops, in a state of inebriety. What a commentary is this whole transaction on the liquor traffic and the possibilities of the liquor habit! At this writing we do not know what action the authorities will take relative to this most shocking crime which has created a feeling of indignation among our citizens; but to let the wretch go unpunished would not only be a disgrace to the city, but an act of flagrant injustice to society and all dumb animals which should be protected against such terrible outrages.

Mr. George Haley, of Quarryville, Mt. Desert, met with a severe accident one day of last week. He was making a blast, had lighted the fuse and was running with the powder keg in one hand in which was about a pint of powder and a lighted paper in the other, when the powder in the keg exploded, (probably by a spark from the paper) burning his hand quite severely, but fortunately doing no other damage.

The lobster fishermen are reaping a harvest at this season, being paid fourteen cents each, and it not being unusual for boats to get one hundred per day, though of course they cannot do that every day, nor for any length of time.

The champion forgetful man as far as heard from hails from Mt. Desert Island. A well-known citizen of Somesville drove to Bar Harbor last week. His wife accompanied him for the purpose of shopping. He left her at a dry goods store and went to attend to his own business, promising to return for her in a couple of hours. His wife never entered his mind from that time until he was unharnessing his horse at Somesville, when the awful fact flashed over him that she was still waiting for him in Bar Harbor.

An adjourned town meeting was held at Bluehill, Monday, to further consider the matter of repairing the town hall. After a full discussion, the matter was laid on the table.

General Manager Hunt of the Sullivan Harbor Land Company says that at the reduced schedule of prices the Sullivan Harbor Land Company has lately sold twelve lots, ranging from four to eight cents a square foot, for $3,877.61 cash and $11,690 of its capital stock, which will be cancelled. These lots, situated in different parts of the company's property, have been purchased by eight parties, most of whom will commence building at once.

Knox.

Lydia Merchant, a resident of Ingraham's Point, was arrested Sunday night by the police for drunkenness. She said that her purse containing $40 had been stolen from her. She accused one Peter Brown of the theft, and said he took it while helping her to her feet. Brown was arrested and bound over in $300 to the September term of court.

Rev. C. S. Cummings, of Rockland, has been asked to deliver the Memorial address at Thomaston on Memorial Day.

The Rockland *Courier-Gazette* hears a report that a syndicate has bought the steam mill at Warren depot and that Mr. Frank Payson will continue in charge.

The men and boys around the harbor at Friendship are talking of digging clams for the Port Clyde canning factory at thirty-five cents per bushel.

Oxford.

It is reported that Mr. John Greenleaf, of Auburn, will build two hundred houses at Rumford Falls by contract, soon.

Somerset.

The Fairfield *Journal* tells how a keen-witted Maine girl caught a thief in Boston. Her hand-bag was stolen from a car. Going to the parcel room of the depot, she almost paralyzed the lady in charge by telling her that her hand-bag was on such a shelf. She identified the contents so thoroughly that it was delivered to her. The officials of the depot were called in and told of the affair and our Maine Miss Rockwood departed. She had hardly left, however, before a bright looking girl appeared and called for the bag. Miss Rockwood had just identified. She had the check and of course was very indignant when arrested. On her person were

Waldo.

An unusual amount of sickness prevails in Unity, and the two physicians are busy day and night. Of the forty scholars attending high school, all but twelve are down with severe colds, la grippe and pink eye.

Mr. Joseph Fogg, one of Unity's oldest and most respected citizens, died very suddenly, March 21st.

Mr. Lewey A. Nelson died at Belfast, Sunday night, from the effects of injuries received from being thrown from his carriage last fall.

Washington.

Preparations are in progress for a lively business the coming season, at Jonesboro. The mills will begin work as soon as the ice is out of the pond. The paving quarries, also the Bodwell granite quarry it is thought will employ about the usual force of men.

The town meeting of Eastport will be held Tuesday, March 31. The warrant will contain more than thirty different articles to be voted on.

The New York steamer has already commenced to bring tinplate for the sardine factories, at Eastport, and in less than a month now, the close time on sardine herring will be off and the factories may open for packing operations again.

The Whiting packet arrived at Eastport last Friday on the first trip of the season.

Sheriff G. L. Buckman, at Columbia Falls, arrested William H. Wilber, formerly of Trescott, for a year or so living in Colorado Falls, and brought him to the jail in Machias Friday. Wilber it seems, started from Eastport with a hired team, thence via Pembroke, Lubec, East Machias, Machiasport and West. Wilber is accused of hiring too many teams, not paying for or returning the teams to rightful owners. On his route he seemed to drive a horse as long as he could, then procure a fresh one and so on. He didn't ride so fast or far as to elude justice.

York.

The late rain has raised the Great Ossippee river so the back water has prevented some of the woolen departments from running for a time. There is much snow and ice in the woods.

The sons and daughters of Parsonfield resident in Boston and vicinity, held their sixth annual reunion in Tremont Temple this week. Rev. Nicholas Paine Gilman, the author, Prof. George H. Ricker, the rector of the old academy, and Rev. D. W. C. Durgin, were among the after dinner speakers.

The New Navy.

PROGRESS ON THE MODERN SHIPS.

[Wash. Cor., N. Y. Tribune.]

Although the Naval Bureau of Construction and Repair has no new work in hand, the draughtsmen are kept busy with the minor changes constantly being made in vessels in course of construction. The reports show a satisfactory progress on nearly all the ships building for the Navy. Work on the Texas at the Norfolk Navy Yard, however, is not making rapid progress. The frames are in place above the protective deck, but it will be a long time before the vessel is ready for launching. The delay is due to the long discussions to which the plans have been subjected in the board of bureau chiefs at various times, and to the rejection of material. On one occasion over two hundred tons of steel plates were returned to Pittsburg on account of failure to pass the tests at Norfolk, and work was delayed while a new shipment was prepared. On Cruiser No. 12, building at Cramps', rapid progress is reported. The patterns have been made for stem and stern post. The Loring Works at Boston have received five payments on Cruiser No. 11, not having made, however, the progress of the Columbia Works of Baltimore, where the companion vessels, Cruisers 9 and 10, are more than half finished. The first payment has been made on the three tugs, of which the Navy, now more than ever, stands in great need. According to the terms of the contract, the tugs will be finished by next January, although the contractors may ask an extension of time. The gunboats and the Ammen ram, building at Bath, Me., Iron Works, will be done on time. There is no complaint, as formerly, of difficulty in securing material. The plates are arriving on time, and, while there has been no decrease in the severity of the tests, few instances of rejection are reported. One shipbuilder succeeded, for the first time in his experience, in making a penalty contract with a Pennsylvania steel founder for material. This condition of affairs is gratifying to the Secretary of the Navy, who a few months ago was apparently confronted with the refusal of steel men to furnish plates and forgings. A fact which makes the matter more important to the steel industry is that this condition has come about without a modification of the Department's specifications, as had been insisted upon in some quarters as necessary.

No decision has yet been reached in regard to the contract for Torpedo-boat No. 2. The papers remain on Secretary Tracy's desk. The Bureau chiefs concerned in the matter still hold to their recommendation of award to the Herreshoff, instead of the Cowles Company. The Secretary is understood to favor an acceptance of the former's contract, after it shall have been modified as proposed by the bidders. This was allowed in the case of McCarthy & Baldwin, who were the lowest bidders for the Port Royal, S. C., dry-dock, and who had an opportunity to make certain required changes in the plans. Mr. Cowles desires the contract as a basis for future ship work. If he is allowed to construct the torpedo-boat, it is said, he will organize a ship-building company and establish a plant near New York.

The Chief of Ordnance of the Navy has invited bids for steel plates and gun forgings, to be opened on April 15. The call for proposals is issued in accordance with Senator Gorman's amendment to the Naval Appropriation bill, requiring the Department to advertise for all future ordnance and armor supplies. The Department makes the usual requirement that the plates and forgings shall be produced within the United States and of domestic material, and that the bidder must possess a plant adequate for the fulfilment of a contract. Bids are asked for ten 2¼-inch steel plates for armored sponsons, to be delivered at the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, bent and shaped as required for Cruiser No. 6, the 5,500-ton vessels contracted for last year. The other bids are for two sets of rough-bored and turned forgings for 6-inch rifles of forty calibre, three sets of forgings for 8-inch rifles of thirty-five calibre, and one set for an 8-inch rifle of forty calibre. The armament of Cruiser No. 13, authorized by the latest Naval Appropriation bill, has been decided upon. It will correspond, as do the general plans for hull and machinery, to that of Cruiser No. 12, the triple-screw vessel building at Camps'. The main battery will have one 8-inch breech-loading rifle, probably of forty calibre, two 6-inch of forty calibre, and twelve 4-inch breech-loading rifles. The 8-inch gun is an efficient weapon and answers all the purposes of warfare. It weighs 15 2-10 tons, has a length of 28 7-10 feet, with a chamber 45 inches long. It will take over 100 pounds of powder for the 250-pound projectile, which it is estimated to be able to perforate 16 1-10 inches of steel at the muzzle of the gun. The 6-inch guns of forty calibre weigh six tons and are a little over twenty-one feet in length. The 100-pound projectile which all 6-inch rifles of different calibre carry, will perforate a 12-inch steel plate at the muzzle. The 4-inch gun will send its thirty-three-pound projectile through an 8-inch plate at its muzzle. The second battery will be made up of sixteen 6-pounders, eight 1-pounders and four Gatling guns, besides four torpedo tubes.

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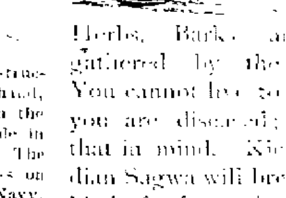

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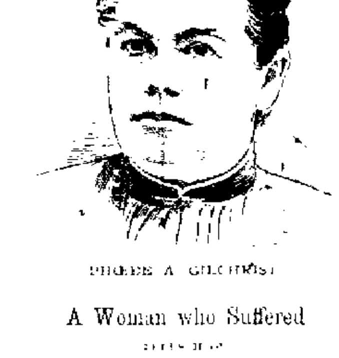

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The People Will Do the Kicking

The Legislature has passed the Australian ballot law after a fair hearing in which all the arguments pro and con were presented by able supporters and opponents. This being the case it would seem to be profitless for THE BANGOR WHIG to continue the discussion of the matter. If the law is not good and is not wanted by the people that will appear after trial. If the contrary is the case that will appear also. It is the law and there is no use kicking about it at present. But our esteemed contemporary discusses the prospect of the final restoration of the Jews.—*Portland Press*.

We were not aware that the Australian law included a provision investing the Portland *Press* with authority to decide what discussions shall be begun or continued in this paper, but we should not be much surprised . . . not quite as absurd feature . . . remarkable job . . . the present however we will relieve the *Press* from any responsibility for the management of our business or the expression of our opinions and at the same time we will assure whoever may be temporarily . . . the valuable views of that paper that it will hear a great deal more discussion of the ballot law before we get through with it. This is by no means the first time that THE WHIG has to deal with the great majority of the Republican party in spite of the usually impertinent opposition of the Portland *Press* and before devoting our thoughts to the restoration of the Jews, we shall continue to advocate a restoration of the responsible control of the Republican majority in the Maine Legislature which has been . . . by a combination of a minority led by the *Press* and *Kennebec Journal* with the caucus-solidified Democracy led by the . . . *Commercial* and . . .

We don't wonder that there is nervousness about kicking—for the people will be likely to do some lively work in that line when they take this matter in hand.

If the *Press* wants to know how they are going to kick we refer it to the following suggestion in regard to another proposed Reform which coincidently appears in the same editorial column.

A valued correspondent of the *Press*, a prominent citizen of Oxford County writes to us as follows in relation to the listing bill:

"The people are waiting anxiously to see if the Legislature is going to pass that portion of the tax bill called the listing system, which receives universal condemnation from all irrespective of party. If passed it will be one of the most injurious and obnoxious laws that was ever placed on the statute book of Maine. We are glad to see Oxford County Senators on the right side and if it *becomes a law it will be the duty of the people to elect men two years hence that will repeal such unjust laws and see that the people's rights are not trampled on by those that have the power at the present time*."

We believe that this represents fairly the sentiment of the most thoughtful men in the State in regard to the bill.

And we believe that the paragraph represents fairly the sentiment of the most thoughtful men in the State in regard to the reckless legislation concerning our election laws, and in that belief we are confirmed by the public declarations of a large majority of the Republican representatives of Maine.

A Revolution by 'One Stroke'

The Governor's paper of Friday with unconscious frankness says:

A public act which by one stroke sweeps away the systems of conducting public elections and exercising the right of suffrage on the part of every citizen of the commonwealth which have existed with but little change for generations is one of vital importance to the people of the State. With the provisions of such an act all citizens will desire to at once become familiar in its every detail.

It thereupon proceeds to print and ask the people to examine the nearly four columns of sweeping legislation, not a paragraph or provision of which has ever been subjected to discussion or critical consideration in either House, but which has been rushed through in bulk and been signed with feverish haste by the Governor whose newspaper now recommends that the people try to study out what it is that they are alleged to have been so loudly clamoring for.

We can frame no stronger protest against the inconsiderate reckless and sweeping manner in which the time honored laws and customs of our State have been overturned, than is furnished by the *Kennebec Journal's* own characterization of the measure enacted in spite of the judgment of the Republican majority as "a public act which by one stroke sweeps away the systems of conducting public elections and exercising the right of suffrage on the part of every citizen of the commonwealth which have existed with but little change for generations."

Verily a new generation of Daniels have come to judgment, so wise in their own conceit that they sweep away by one stroke and with contemptuous phrase and hottest haste the popular institutions that have been builded up through the generations under the administrations of such chief magistrates as William King, Albion K. Parris, Edward Kent, John Fairfield, Hugh J. Anderson, John W. Dana, John Hubbard, William G. Crosby, Anson P. and Lot M. Morrill, Hannibal Hamlin, Israel Washburn, Jr., Abner Coburn, Samuel Cony, and their distinguished successors since the war, laws that have had the sanction and time to time adjustment by the advice of a Supreme Court headed by such jurists as Mellen, Weston, Whitman, Shepley, Tenney, Appleton and Peters, statutes that have been shaped and fashioned by legislatures presided over by men whose fame is of the ages, from the first Speakership of Benjamin Ames through the honorable line that embraces such names as those of George Evans, Daniel Goodenow, John Ruggles, Nathan Clifford, Jonathan Cilley, Hannibal Hamlin, Elisha H. Allen, Josiah S. Little, Samuel Belcher, George P. Sewall, Sidney Perham, Josiah H. Drummond, W. T. Johnson, Frederick A. Pike, James G. Blaine, Nelson Dingley, Jr., Lewis Barker, Theodore C. Woodman and the able men of more recent date.

But these were "old fogies" who had never studied the superiority of Australian civilization.

Much may be excused to THE BANGOR WHIG in its present state of soreness, but when it classes this paper among the "enemies of the Republican party" it is wilder than usual. No enemy could have hurt the party more than has THE WHIG by its course throughout the ballot bill discussion. From such friends the party needs to be saved.—*Portland Advertiser*.

The above would force a smile from an image of stone. Here is the *Advertiser* rejoicing over the defeat of the Republican majority in the Legislature by the fusionists and at the same time talking about THE WHIG being an enemy of the Repub-...

Dividing the Raiment.

The extracts which we copy elsewhere indicate a tendency to friction in assigning the honors of the recent legislative victory at Augusta in which the solid Democracy bore so important a part. The New York *Tribune* in a paragraph based upon a special despatch from Augusta awards chief credit to Chairman Manley, while the Portland *Press* is inclined to indulge in sarcasm at the expense of that gentleman, whose indorsement of the Australian bill was advertised very zealously during the contest, in the hope that his official relations to the party organization might influence some doubtful Republicans. The most amusing development however, is the artful manner in which the Governor's paper in quoting from the *Tribune* chops off and suppresses the line awarding credit to Mr. Manley. That paper evidently sees another form presiding at the head of the conquering legions of the . . .

Awarding the Honors

[New York Tribune, March . . .]

Republicans . . . citizens of Maine . . . themselves upon . . . in the triumph . . . ballot reform. After a hard fight in which victory seemed to hover at times over those who favor the measure and at times over those who bitterly opposed it the lower House of the State Legislature yesterday declared itself firmly and unequivocally in favor of an honest ballot by a vote of 76 to 60. This gives ballot reform to Maine. That the reform is in line with Republican principles is shown by the fact that Joseph H. Manley, chairman of the Republican State Committee has been the most earnest advocate of the measure from the start.

[Portland Press, March . . .]

Speaking of the passage of the ballot reform bill by the Maine Legislature the New York *Tribune* says:

"That the reform is in line with Republican principles is shown by the fact that Joseph H. Manley, Chairman of the Republican State Committee has been the most earnest advocate of the measure from the start."

It is a matter of regret with us that Brother Carson, who assists Brother Manley in the postoffice, and is so to speak nearer than a brother to Brother Manley in political matters has so conducted himself that he cannot share in the praises which are falling to the lot of Brother Manley. Brother Carson has dutifully and is an earnest straightforward Republican and it is a matter of regret that civil service reform scruples prevented Brother Manley from offering and Brother Carson from accepting the advice that it would be better to stay in the postoffice than to go abroad at the head of the lobby against the ballot bill.

[Kennebec Journal, March . . .]

Republicans and other good citizens of Maine have reasons to congratulate themselves upon falling in line in the triumphant march of ballot reform. After a hard fight in which victory seemed to hover at times over those who favored the measure and at times over those who bitterly opposed it the lower House of the State Legislature yesterday declared itself firmly and unequivocally in favor of an honest ballot by a vote of 76 to 60.—*New York Tribune, March 2*.

Some of the opponents of the Carson ballot bill in the recent discussions seemed to be disposed to find fault with Governor Burleigh for favoring the measure. Is there any good reason why a governor should not have the same privilege to oppose or favor a measure as any other citizen.—*Norway Advertiser*.

The above paragraph might furnish the text for an article on executive interference with the duties of the representatives of the people, but laying aside all argument on this score, the fact that the Governor assured several gentlemen that he would not personally attempt to influence the action of the members, would be regarded as a good reason by most men.

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Bangor March 14th, 1891

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DIED.

In this city, March 2 th, Bridget, wife of the late James Mitchell, aged . . . years. Funeral from St. John's Catholic Church Sunday at . . . P. M.

In this city March 2 th, Enoch H. Tibbetts. Funeral Sunday afternoon at . . . o'clock, from late residence on Center Street.

In East Hampden, Mabel . . . wife of . . . Henry, aged 19 years. Funeral from her father's residence, Raymond J. Dyer, in Eddington, Sunday at 2 P. M.

In Garland March 24th, Anderson P. Morton, aged about 50 years.

In Garland, March 26th, at the residence of M. P. Knox, Mrs. Asenith, widow of the late Geo. Huse, aged 76 years.

Marine Journal.

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MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY
STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT, ss., March 24th, A. D., 1891.

This is to give notice, that on the 21st day of March, A. D., 1891, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot, against the estate of said Charles E. Boyington of Patten, in the County of Penobscot, State of Maine, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition said debtor, which petition was filed on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1891, to which date interest on claims is to be computed. That the payment of any debts to or by said debtor, and the transfer and delivery of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at the Probate Court Room in Bangor, in said County of Penobscot, on the fifteenth day of April, A. D. 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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The increasing demand for lots near town, warrants the extension of French street northerly from its intersection with Broadway through thirteen acres of land situated east of said intersection and adjoining the land and houses of Judge Goodenow. This extension made as soon as frost leaves the ground, will give frontage to a most desirable tier of lots on both sides of French street. Lot No. 5 of the tier now fronting on Broadway, contains an exhaustless fountain of the purest water, to which a free right of way for water pipes will be given to all purchasers of lots. These 49 lots of large size on Broadway, French, Knox and Stetson streets, (the last two of said streets being laid out east from Broadway and crossing French street at right angles) will be sold alternately, thus leaving an adjoining lot to such purchaser, to whom preference in sale will be given if wished in the future. The old house on lot No. 1 is now for sale or to be given away, to be taken to pieces, (not removed whole). The plan of these valuable lots twelve minutes walk from the Post Office, and also of other lots, may be seen at office of P. H. Gillin and at residence of S. C. Harlow, Center street.
S. C. HARLOW.
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European and North American Railway,
Dividend No. 38 will be paid at the Treasurer's Office on and after April 1st, 1891, to Stockholders of record on March 2 th inst. The Stock Books will be closed on said March 2 th, and remain closed until said April 3d.
A. T. THOMPSON, Treasurer
March 2 , 1891 . . . 1w

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When you need a good mild, comfortable, efficient pill, try Harlow's the best in the market.
HARLOW'S DRUG STORE.
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Mt. Hope Cemetery Corporation.
The annual meeting of the proprietors of Mt. Hope Cemetery Corporation, will be held at the room of the Common Council, in the city of Bangor, on the first Monday of April next, (April 6th) at 10 o'clock A. M., for the choice of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting.
J. M. BRIGHT, Secretary.
March 26th . . . Copy.

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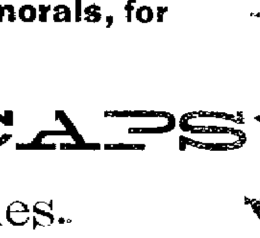

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One Price Shoe and Hat Store,
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Please remember that ours is the only store in the city where
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We shall keep a strictly first class transient and boarding stable. Plenty of room, good light and ventilation, good care and feed. Careful and . . . management.
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Notice to Contractors and Builders.
The Trustees of the Maine State College will receive sealed proposals at the office of Hon. William T. Haines in Waterville, until 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 15th of April, 1891, to be opened immediately thereafter, for the construction of a brick building on the grounds of the Maine State College at Orono. Plans and specifications can be seen and examined at the office of William T. Haines in Waterville, and also at the College. Bids will be received for the masonry work, for the carpentry work and also for the Steam Heating and Plumbing separately or for the whole work combined.
The right to reject any or all proposals, is reserved.
WILLIAM T. HAINES,
Secretary of the Trustees
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—AT—
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STATE OF MAINE,
CLERK'S OFFICE SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT,
PENOBSCOT COUNTY.
BANGOR, Me., February 27, 1891
Notice is hereby given that Hervey H. Patten, of Bingham, Maine, has this day filed in this office, notice of his intention to apply at the next April Term of said Court for said County, for admission to the Bar.
CHARLES F. SWEET, Clerk
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Assessors' Office.
CITY OF BREWER.
To the Inhabitants of the City of Brewer and all Persons liable to be Assessed Therein.
You are hereby notified that the Assessors will be in session at their office in the City Hall in said city, on Wednesday, the . . . day of April next, at nine o'clock A. M., for the purpose of receiving true and perfect lists of the polls and all their estates, real and personal, (not by law exempt from taxation), which they were possessed of on the first day of April in said year, . . . which lists you are required to . . .

Wanted, Lost, Found, etc.
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STORE ROOM
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BLOOD ORANGES.
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Whig and Courier.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1891.

[ADDITIONAL DESPATCHES SEE FIRST PAGE.]

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

MAINE LEGISLATURE.

The Taxation Question Occupying Attention

The Case of Judge Hamilton Being Heard.

It will be Continued to Next Week.

[Correspondence of Whig and Courier.]

AUGUSTA, March 27. The House devoted the greater part of yesterday afternoon to the consideration of Judge Savage's tax bill which is a modified form of the original bill. This bill provides for a heavier tax on railroads, telegraphs and telephone companies, sleeping cars, street railways, loan and trust companies and express companies.

Railroads are to be taxed so much per mile on gross earnings, the rate being $5 per mile on roads earning $1,000, $10 on roads earning $2,000 per mile and so on, increasing after the second $1,000 at the rate of $10 per mile.

Telegraph companies shall pay three per cent on value of all property, including poles, wires, insulators, office furniture, batteries and instruments whether owned or leased.

Street Railroads are Taxed

on the gross earnings per mile, the tax to be paid to State the same as railroad and telegraph taxes and by the State returned to the towns in which the shares in such railroad are owned. At the close of the afternoon session the matter was tabled and is still on the table for further consideration when the House is in session for business.

The Senate yesterday afternoon considered the resolve providing that the appropriations made for the various academies of the State should be taken from the school fund.

The movement was opposed by Senators Grindle, Poor, Powers and Libby and was defeated by a vote of 19 to 8.

The first skirmish over the report of the valuation commission occurred in the Senate yesterday afternoon when Senator Thatcher

Called Up the Resolve

providing for the acceptance of the report.

In this resolve was a provision that the State Board of Assessors under the new law might take into consideration the over-valuation of any town or city and recommend to the next Legislature a rebate of taxes paid in excess of actual valuation.

The motion was to amend by striking out this clause and it was hotly debated, but the arguments advanced against allowing such a provision to become a law would cumber the next Legislature with a vast number of claims. Prevailed and the provision was stricken out.

Then Senator Powers moved to amend the report by correcting a clerical error by which a plantation in Aroostook appeared to be assessed for double the amount which the commission intended, a statement being presented from the commission stating this fact and that the error occurred

In Copying the List.

This opening of the report was objected to as being the entering wedge for all kinds of amendments, but the amendment was allowed.

Then, as was expected, other amendments of a similar nature were offered, but each was voted down.

The bill providing for the listing system of taxation was further considered in the Senate.

The bill as first presented from the tax committee provided for a complete listing of all property.

This was considered to have several objectionable features and that it could not pass or be satisfactory to the tax payers, so it was amended by making a general law that blanks containing interrogations should be sent to tax payers and returned by them under oath.

Senator Haines moved an amendment by making it necessary to specifically

Return the Amount

of personal property taxable. This amendment created considerable discussion, being participated in by Senators Haines and Spear, who favored, and by Powers and Libby who opposed.

To-day being the time assigned for the hearing in the case of Charles S. Hamilton, Judge of the Biddeford Municipal Court, at eleven o'clock the Senate and the House adjourned and the members of the Senate passed to Representative Hall to hear the case. By the rules governing the case the President of the Senate presided and the Secretary read the resolutions containing the charges presented. H. M. Heath Esq., who is counsel for Mr. Hamilton, asked to have the

Allegation Made More Specific

and the dates given. Mr. Baker, attorney for petitioners, stated that he should furnish all facts which he had in his possession. The convention then adjourned to 2.30 P. M., at which time the hearing was continued. Judging from the witnesses to be heard and the array of counsel, the case will be carried into next week.

The Republican members of the Legislature held a caucus to nominate two candidates for State Assessors under the new bill.

By the provisions of the bill the members are to be appointed from the two political parties. There are several candidates for the position, and there will probably be some lively canvassing among the members of the caucus.

[To Associated Press.]

AUGUSTA, March 27. The Legislature assembled in joint convention at 11.30 this morning, to consider the matter of removing from office by address Judge Charles H. Hamilton, of Biddeford.

The following are the charges in brief: Intemperance, immorality, licentiousness, while judge, presiding over court while intoxicated, illegally signing and issuing for officers' use, blank jurors' certificates, bills of costs and mittimuses when no cases were pending to authorize their issuance.

Hamilton was represented by Lawyers Heath, J. D. Drummond, G. H. Haley and Hamilton.

Messrs. O. D. Baker and Bradbury Appeared for the State.

About forty witnesses are present on both sides.

The case was opened for the defence by Mr. Heath, who denies the charges, claiming that they were not properly drawn, want for tax laws, such legislation would do great damage.

Messrs. Haines and Spear, of Kennebec, favored the bill.

A bill was enacted to-day which removes all restrictions from the order of the Iron Hall in this State.

The bill authorizes those orders doing business in Maine Feb. 28th, 1889, to continue the work of instituting new lodges in the State. Endowment orders not doing business in Maine on that date cannot come into the State.

Insurance Commissioner Smith will vigorously enforce the law.

This afternoon the Legislature resumed the hearing of Judge Hamilton's case.

Mr. Bradbury opened the case for the petitioners. Mr. Baker examined eleven witnesses. The testimony tended to show habits of intoxication and association with a woman of bad character. The examination of witnesses will be resumed Saturday.

The taxation bill passed the Senate for engrossment.

The Republican caucus this evening nominated Otis Hayford of Canton, and Frank Gilman of Bangor, as candidates for the Board of State Assessors. The Democrats nominated Benjamin F. Chadbourne, of Biddeford.

PENSIONS GRANTED.

Additional to Residents of Maine.

WASHINGTON, March 27. The following pensions have been granted to residents of Maine:

Original—Theophilus E. Smith, Patrick Malloy, Rufus L. Littlefield Henry A. Howard, Frank J. Nelson, Wm. H. Linscott, Thos. H. T. Collins

FROM ROCKLAND.

Autopsy in Case of Ida Miller.

ROCKLAND, March 27. The autopsy in the case of Ida Miller revealed the fact that death was the result of criminal malpractice. An inquest is now being held with closed doors. York is held for examination on an alleged ante-mortem confession of the girl.

WILL DROP CUBAN GIANTS

And Sign a White Team for Portland.

PORTLAND, March 27. A special to the Argus from F. J. Leonard, manager of Portland's New England base ball club, says:

"To satisfy everybody I have concluded to drop the Cuban Giants and will sign a white team."

HON. RUFUS PRINCE DEAD.

He Passed Away Yesterday Morning.

LEWISTON, March 27. Hon. Rufus Prince died at six o'clock this morning at his home.

FLAT AFFAIR.

Small, Uninterested Audience Listens to Farmers' Alliance Men.

AUGUSTA, March 27. Hon. Jerry Simpson, of the 7th Congressional district of Kansas, and Ralph Beaumont, of New York, addressed an audience of about 200 at Meonian Hall this evening. Very few were present from out of the city and there was but little enthusiasm.

Both speakers described the workings of the Farmers' Alliance, but the conditions of New England are different from the West and we do not want an alliance here.

Simpson urged State ownership of railroads, Government storehouses, and loans on farmers' products. Beaumont spoke on the abolition of the National bank and the substitution of legal tender notes. His remarks were not adapted to the audience and met with little success. Apt stories took the place of argument. No alliance is likely to be formed in Maine this season.

DEFECTIVE CHIMNEY

Causes a Blaze in a Hotel.

FARMINGTON, March 28. An alarm has just struck for a fire at West Farmington in the Elm House, owned by W. T. Locke. It is all ablaze and at this hour (12.50) it looks as though it will be a total loss. It is valued at over $5,000 and partially insured. The cause was a defective chimney.

ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.

Lincoln County People the Victims.

PORTLAND, March 27. A special to the Argus from Rockland says that Augustus Jones of Damariscotta, has been arrested for forgery amounting to at least twelve hundred dollars and perhaps thousands. Lincoln county people are his victims.

FROM BELFAST.

Excitement Caused by Ruffians' Work.

BELFAST, March 27. A Nova Scotia servant employe of H. E. McDonald was thrown down and partially strangled in front of a fashionable residence on Church street, in the heart of the city, about nine last evening.

Her assailant was frightened away by a clergyman before accomplishing his purpose.

The police have a clue. There is much excitement.

SNOW IN "OLE VARGINNY."

Eighteen Inches Fallen in a Day in Some Places.

WINCHESTER, Va., March 27. The severest storm of the winter has prevailed here the past twenty-four hours. The snow is eighteen inches deep.

Spring Gone Mad.

READING, Pa., March 27. Snow fell throughout this region to-day to 3 inches in this immediate vicinity and it is 12 to 15 inches on a level west of this city, where the wind was blowing a regular hurricane, drifting the roads badly. To-night it turned into rain. The Schuylkill river, fed by the melting snow, is rising.

Heavy fall of Snow.

WASHINGTON March 27. Passengers on incoming trains from the South report a heavy fall of snow in the Shenandoah valley and other parts of Virginia, reaching in some places to the depth of eight inches.

All north bound trains are delayed on account of the washouts caused by the heavy rains and drifting snow.

Sixteen Inches Deep.

HARRISBURG Va., March 27. Snow has been falling here since 9 last night, and is about sixteen inches deep this evening.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Conditions Favorable on the Whole in this Country.

NEW YORK, March 27. R. G. Dun & Co's. Weekly Review of Trade says:

"If no news is good news as concerns the condition of business at this season the outlook is fairly satisfactory. It is a season of transition and uncertainty and every week that passes without distinctly untoward events brings closer the new and probably large crops of next summer and lessens the chance that intervening disaster, financial, industrial or commercial, may prevent the revival of all business. The events of the past week have not been on the whole unfavorable. Some failures of local consequence have occurred, but nothing to indicate that the

Commercial Situation

is unsound. Trade has been rather quiet, hesitating, as natural at this season, with rather more complaint of slow collections. Money is fair and increasing in supply. Almost everywhere it is easier, as the wants of legitimate business are met without trouble. The outlook for the coming crops continues exceptionally good. [illegible]

THE HIDEOUS MAFIA.

Italian Kills a Merchant in a Cold Blooded Manner.

He Mistook him for a Compatriot whom he was Detailed

To Kill for Some Real or Imaginary wrong to the Society.

VIENNA, March 27. A despatch from Kufstein, a town of the Tyrol near the Bavarian frontier, says:

A well known merchant of Kufstein, was upon the point of entering a railroad car when he was confronted by an Italian, who plunged his stiletto in the merchant's breast, killing him almost instantly.

The Italian, who was a workman employed in the neighborhood, was promptly arrested.

From the investigation by the police authorities it appears that he was a member of the hideous Mafia society, and he killed the merchant in mistake for a compatriot whom he was detailed to kill for some real or imaginary wrong done the Mafia society.

A WIFE'S DEVOTION.

She Prefers Death with Her Husband and Child

To Rescue Without Them—Eight Lives Lost.

NORFOLK, Va., March 27. The Norwegian bark Dictator, Pensacola, Fla., for West Hartlepool, Eng., with a crew of 15 and the captain's young wife and little boy three years old, came ashore in the strong easterly gale this morning, four miles south of Cape Henry.

The weather was so thick the vessel was not seen till 9, and then she was in the breakers broadside on, within a quarter of a mile of the shore.

Full crews from the two life saving stations were

Promptly On Hand

and began firing lines to the bark.

The guns could not deliver the lines so far. The ship finally succeeded in getting a line ashore tied to a barrel, which the surf carried to the life savers. The breeches buoy was quickly rigged and sent to the vessel but the bark's crew were ignorant of its use. Capt. Drinkwater, of the life saving crew, wrote instructions and put them in a bottle and sent to the Dictator by the line connecting the vessel with the shore. The men on board broke the bottle and proceeded to carry out the directions.

Eight Men Were Rescued

before sunset, four of whom came ashore in the life boat which capsized, but the men succeeded in reaching the shore in a half dead condition.

At night fall there were still nine persons on the bark, among them the captain, his wife and little child.

The captain urged his wife all day to take the buoy and come ashore, but she would not leave her husband and child.

The bark went to pieces and the seven that remained on her

Were Lost.

including the wife of the captain. The captain just before the ship went to pieces sprang into the sea with his son strapped to his back. He reached shore alive but the boy was lost, making a total loss of eight lives.

The Dictator was trying to make Hampton Roads, having been disabled by hurricanes since the 12th.

MURDER MOST FOUL.

A Man Assassinated at His Own Doorsteps.

The Assassin Escapes in the Darkness.

SOFIA, March 27. At 8 o'clock this evening while Premier Stambuloff and M Baltcheff, minister of finance, were about to enter their official residences which adjoin each other, a man suddenly confronted them with a revolver and fired three shots point blank at M. Baltcheff who fell dead.

The assassin succeeded in making his escape owing to the darkness and confusion.

A number of persons who witnessed the murder report that the assassin had three accomplices who assisted him to escape.

No motive is suggested for the murder.

It is presumed the conspirators in the darkness mistook M. Batcheff for Premier Stambuloff.

TWO PERSONS BURNED

In a Hotel Fire in Austin, Pa.—Others May Die.

OLEAN, N. Y., March 27. Fire at Austin, Potter county, Pa., at one this morning, destroyed the Commercial Hotel and the residences of R. Henry, Carrie Clark and J. Pomeroy.

A domestic boarder and an unknown person in the hotel were burned to death and four others badly burned. Two will probably die.

The total loss is about $5,000; partly insured.

A FAIR FRAUD.

Woman Arrested for Wholesale Marriages in Paris.

PARIS, March 27. A handsome English woman named Eveline Neal was arrested in this city to-day for marriage frauds.

She inveigled forty-three men to marry her by advertising herself a wealthy widow.

Her last victim was a Viscount who almost ruined himself by gambling.

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capitol.

Pension Cases.

WASHINGTON, March 27. The regular weekly statement of the operations of the Pension Bureau shows that during the week ended 21, 1891, there were 5,035 pension certificates issued, the first payment of which aggregates $70,278, an average to each pensioner of $126.05.

COURT HOUSE AFIRE.

During the Trial of Rioters at Cork.

CORK, March 27. While the judge was summing up to-day in the case of the government against Michael O'Brien Dalton and others charged with assaulting the police and rioting at Tipperary at the time of the trial of William O'Brien and John Dillon, the court house was suddenly set on fire and a scene of alarm and confusion followed.

All the occupants of the building managed to make their way out safely.

The police are investigating.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Disturbing Rumors.

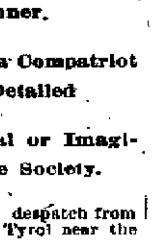
BERLIN, March 27. The bourse was disturbed to-day by rumors of movements of Russian troops on the Austrian and German frontiers.

Odessa telegrams say that such movements are contemplated during the coming season and that large bodies of convicts and laborers are proceeding westward to push on strategic railways.

FAIR FOLLOWED BY RAIN.

LOCAL MATTERS.

STATE OF MAINE.



By the Governor

A Proclamation.

In conformity with a venerated custom of ancient origin which has been tenderly cherished by Christian people, I do hereby, with the advice of the Executive Council, designate and set apart

THURSDAY, the 16th Day of April Next,

AS A DAY OF

Fasting and Prayer

Let us upon that day refrain from our customary vocations, and by our firesides and places of public worship, make humble acknowledgement of our dependence upon Almighty God. May we in humility of spirit make confession of our unworthiness, and earnestly supplicate His strength and guidance that we may walk the more acceptably in His sight and the better perform the duties we owe to ourselves and to our fellowmen.

Given at the Council Chamber at Augusta, this twenty-sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and fifteenth.

By the Governor, EDWIN C. BURLEIGH.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Secretary of State.

Yesterday was Good Friday and to-morrow is Easter Sunday.

A big dog lost his life yesterday afternoon on Kenduskeag bridge through an encounter with a street car.

Another special service will be held at the First Baptist chapel to-night and all are cordially invited to attend.

Several Easter Monday dances will be given in various towns in this vicinity, and Bangor musicians will furnish the music for some of them.

There are about eight feet of water at Veazie at present and the works are running all right. It is to be hoped that no further trouble from ice which is yet to come down the river, may be experienced.

Next Tuesday evening will occur the Grand Kaffee Klatche given by the Woman's Relief Corps, at City Hall, and preparations are being made for a most enjoyable event. An entertainment will be given following the supper.

The Flying Yankee was an hour late into the city yesterday on account of a wait of that length of time for the connecting train over the New Brunswick division of the Canadian Pacific railroad. There was a large number of passengers aboard.

Many people in this city will learn with sorrow of the death of Levi Fletcher, Jr., formerly of this city but lately residing in California. His age was twenty-one years and his death occurred March 11th. He was a promising young man and had many friends.

The new ferry boats have begun running between this city and Brewer and the Bon Ton will soon be launched to take advantage of the business between the two cities as soon as possible. It is unusually early for the boats to commence running and the receipts will be correspondingly better.

It was demonstrated last year that an addition to the Islesborough Inn, Long Island, Penobscot Bay, would be needed and the need is to be met. The addition will be 60x40, will have forty-eight rooms, a billiard room and a tonsorial establishment and will be in every way adapted to meet the demands.

The Lucier Comedy Company, which was at the Opera House last night arrived yesterday from Dover, where it played Thursday night, and the members registered at the Windsor Hotel. At noon the band connected with the company gave a street parade and discoursed good music for the bystanders.

A gentleman who was in Vanceboro on Thursday morning tells THE WHIG that on that morning a train of sixteen cars passed through that place enroute from Halifax to Manitoba, via the Canadian Pacific Railroad, twelve of the cars containing emigrants from England and the other four filled with their baggage.

The directors of the Penobscot Telegraph Company, the young men in this city who have their homes connected by a complete telegraph line and save many steps by thus communicating with each other, have had their photographs taken in a group. A large number of young men belong to the company, every one has a telegraph instrument in his home.

The managers of the Bowdoin *Orient* have elected the following board of editors for the coming year: Managing editor, E. A. Pugsley, '92; assistant managing editor, J. C. Hall, '92; business editor, H. C. Fabyan, '93; associate editors, F. V. Gummer, '92, J. F. Hodgdon, '92, H. W. Kimball, '92, M. S. Clifford, '93, C. W. Peabody, '93, H. E. Andrews, '94, F. W. Pickard, '94.

In a letter received by a gentleman in this city from the head of the West Branch region, the writer states, that at the time of writing, the roads in that locality were covered with four feet of snow. The rain and thaw had put it into such a soft condition that it was impossible for horses to travel over the roads. A freeze up would help out the lumbering operations very materially.

The Penobscot River Steam Navigation Company are making arrangements for the accommodation of their patrons the coming summer which will undoubtedly be appreciated. The steamer Little Buttercup, on her first trip down in the morning at six o'clock, will leave the ferry slip, but on all other trips will come back only as far as Tewksbury's dock, connecting with the electric railroad, an arrangement having been made whereby for the same fare as previously a car may be taken at the nearest point to one's home, ride to the terminus and take the boat for down river. On the last trip up at night the boat will come to the ferry slip, not connecting with the cars.

It is proposed to run excursions to Portland from all parts of Maine on the occasion of Gilmore's Band festival concerts in Portland, April 24th and 25th, afternoon and evening of each day. Half fare has been arranged for on all the railroads, tickets good to return on the Monday following the concerts. This will give people all through the State a chance to hear the famous Gilmore's Band, besides the corps of vocalists, including Sig. Campanini, the eminent tenor, and Miss Ida Klein, the splendid soprano. Mr. Gilmore this year will introduce many novelties, and will have soloists on almost every instrument in the band. Tickets can be obtained in advance of Ira C. Stockbridge, of Portland.

DEATH OF MR. ENOCH E. TEBBETTS. Mr. Enoch H. [illegible]

AN EVENING OF MUSIC.

Excellent Concert by the Temple Quartette and Portland Imperial Mandolin and Guitar Quartette.

Rarely is the time more pleasantly passed in listening to a musical programme than was the case last evening at City Hall, upon the occasion of the concert given by the Temple Quartette, of Boston, and the Imperial Mandolin and Guitar Quartette, of Portland, under the auspices of the Theological Seminary Gymnasium Association.

There was a large audience present and that the excellence of the music was well appreciated was shown by the encores which were freely given during the entire evening. The selections were well chosen as regards merit and variety, and the following was the

PROGRAMME:

1.	March, "Ideal," Mandolin and Guitar Quartette.	Harris
2.	March, "Now Forward," Temple Quartette.	Storch
3.	Banjo Duet, "Galop Imperial," Barnum and Glynn.	Glynn
4.	Chant, "Remember now thy Creator," Temple Quartette.	Rhodes
5.	Mazurka, "La Brilliante," Mandolin and Guitar Quartette.	Barnum
6.	Song, "I love you too well," E. F. Webber.	Cowen
7.	Spanish Waltz, "Santiago," Mandolin and Guitar Quartette.	Catlin
8.	Extravaganza, "Italian Salad," Temple Quartette.	Genee
9.	Banjo Juggling, T. E. Glynn.	
10.	"The Owl and Puss," Temple Quartette.	De Koven
11.	Waltz, "Jolly Hours," Mandolin and Guitar Quartette.	Barnum
12.	Part Song, "Sleep in Peace," Temple Quartette.	Rosewig

The Temple Quartette is an organization which has long held a foremost position in the musical world, and the extended association of the members has given them a thorough mastery of harmonious, combined and brilliant execution. The selections composed both the classical and the merry potpourri songs, and their rendition was the source of much enjoyment. The quartette received an encore at the close of each number.

Mr. Webber's solo was well given and received a merited recall.

The Imperial Mandolin and Guitar Quartette at once established itself in the favor of the audience, through its excellent playing, and the frequent demands for more at the close of the different selections were good signs of the effect produced by the taking music. The contributions of the quartette to the programme were very pleasing.

Mr. Glynn's banjo playing deserves special mention. He made a pronounced hit by the ease and skill with which he manipulated the instrument, and his juggling work was exceedingly good. He received a double encore at the conclusion of his solo. The banjo duet by Mr. Glynn and Mr. Barnum was also an interesting part of the programme.

The Theological students deserve a vote of thanks for providing such an enjoyable concert. The stage was very handsomely furnished by the Atkinson House Furnishing Company.

Easter Flowers.

Mr. Carl Beers has a most attractive display of Easter flowers and decorations at Warren's drug store, and it attracts much attention. Yesterday many visited the store and admired the beautiful growths. At the foot of Hammond street is suspended a Roman garland of evergreen, containing over 2,000 different kinds of flowers.

CITY AFFAIRS.

Special Meeting Friday Night—James A. Boardman Elected an Assessor.

A special meeting of the City Council was held last evening by call of the Mayor and the following business transacted:

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

On petition of J. C. Towle & Co. for license to erect a stationary steam engine in rear of their store on Broad street, notice was ordered that hearing will be granted all persons interested at the Aldermen's room on the 14th of April at 7.30 P. M.

A communication from the City Treasurer relating to the advisability of constructing an addition to the westerly side of the Aldermen's room for purposes of a committee room and private office, was referred to the Committee on City Property.

William Hale was appointed a special policeman to serve without pay.

An order was passed authorizing W. F. Perry and William Givren to blast out a ledge opposite the salt mill on Valley Avenue, within the limits of the street, in order to make a passageway to the lot of Morse & Co.

Order passed directing that no charge be made for the use of City Hall by B. H. Beale Post for its recent lectures.

The City Council met in joint convention and elected S. P. Bradbury and C. E. Tilton truant officers, to serve without pay.

The Mayor stated that having been elected Mayor while holding the office of assessor, he had obtained the opinion of the City Solicitor on the question of the legality of an occupancy of both offices by one person. The solicitor decided that the two offices were incompatible with each other, and that it would be necessary to elect a man to fill the vacancy now existing. The Mayor then appointed Alderman Kane and Councilmen Cameron and Pullen a committee to receive, sort and count the votes, and the convention proceeded to ballot, the vote standing as follows:

Whole number of votes,	26
Necessary to a choice,	14
James A. Boardman had	15
Frank A. Owen had	11

and Mr. Boardman was declared elected.

An amendment to ordinance on Fire Department was presented by Alderman Vickery and given its first reading. The amendment provides for appointment and removal of members of the department by the Board of Engineers instead of municipal officers.

IN COMMON COUNCIL.

Concurred in all joint action.

The Summer Resorts.

A party of six gentlemen from Philadelphia passed through the city yesterday on their way to Northeast Harbor, where they intend to build cottages this year. They had the plans of the buildings and some of them intend to have their cottages started at once. Building operation at Northeast Harbor, Bar Harbor, Sorrento and other places in the vicinity promise to be quite extensive this year, and the indications are that more visitors than for some time will come to these attractive Maine resorts. Those who have the means to build cottages appreciate the splendid sites which are offered along that part of the coast, and it seems very evident that Maine is to be the great summer resort for cottagers as well as tourists who content themselves with the hotels.

Knights of Pythias Field Day.

The next field day of the Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias of Maine will probably be held in Portland, as the Portland Knights are the last to join the Uniformed Rank, and it is customary to take that fact into consideration for the appointment of the place for the field day. There will soon be a meeting of the [illegible]

THE FIRST STEAMER.

Arrival of the Penobscot Friday Afternoon.

The steamer Penobscot arrived in this port yesterday afternoon about four o'clock and received a warm welcome as she steamed up to her customary berth. It is the fifth year in succession that the Penobscot has been the first steamboat to come to this port after the departure of the ice, thus making a good record.

The list of officers, with Capt. Ingraham in command, is in accordance with that recently published in THE WHIG. The steamer encountered floating ice and a swift current on the way up river from Bucksport, but came along on good time and without particular incident.

Now that the river is clear the steamers of the Boston and Bangor Steamship Company will begin the regular spring runs between this city and Boston and will without doubt be accorded the excellent patronage which has been given in the past.

THE G. A. R.

The Twenty-fifth Anniversary of the Organization on April 6th.

Commander Henry R. Cowan, of B. H. Beale Post, No. 12, G. A. R., has received the following general orders relating to the general observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the Grand Army of the Republic:

HEADQUARTERS
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
Rutland, Vt., March 4, 1891.

General Orders No. 18.

I. In accordance with the resolution (quoted below) of the 24th National Encampment at Boston, Massachusetts, August 13th and 14th, 1890, a general observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of this order will take place April 6th, 1891, and all posts will hold on the evening of that day a public commemorative meeting, notice of which must be given every comrade, and special invitations will be extended to the Sons of Veterans, the Woman's Relief Corps and kindred organizations; also to the clergy, press, school children and citizens generally.

II. The preparation of programme is left to the discretion of department commanders, but it is suggested that among other things a brief summary of the history of each post would be appropriate, and of value for preservation.

III. This order and accompanying letter of the commander-in-chief will be read at 8 30 P. M., simultaneously by all posts, the assemblage standing at attention as a token of respect to Comrade Stephenson, the founder of this order; the same to be followed by prayer by the post chaplain or some one selected by the commanding officer.

IV. Every effort will be made to have these services worthy the great event they signalize, and all posts will forward a special report of the same to their department headquarters to be briefed, summarized, consolidated and forwarded to these headquarters by each department commander.

V. The authority for this order rests in the resolution above referred to, which is as follows, viz:

"Resolved, That the commander-in-chief elect be requested to take such action as will lead to a proper celebration of the quarto-centennial of the organization of the Grand Army of the Republic, the first post having been organized at Decatur, Illinois, April 6, 1866;" and in order that these special meetings may properly carry out the purpose and intent of said resolution and not be diverted therefrom, no subscription or contribution for any purpose will be solicited or taken thereat.

By command of
W. G. VEAZEY,
Commander-in-Chief

J. H. GOULDING,
Adjutant General.

AMUSEMENTS.

Lucier Comedy Company.

The Lucier Comedy Company appeared at the Opera House last night before a small audience, giving a variety programme, some of the features of which were entertaining. The instrumental selections, the "School Boy Frolics," by John R. Harty, the singing and dancing by Little Margrette, the cornet solo of J. R. Lucier and the excellent juggling by "Adrian" were worthy of special mention. The after piece, "The Irish Scouts," was extremely silly, and destroyed the good impression made by the few specialties mentioned.

Notes.

"A Brass Monkey" has not lost its power to attract and amuse large audiences, judging by the business at the Boston Theatre this week and the expressions of pleasure heard from the spectators. The engagement will end on Saturday night.

"Blue Jeans" is doing a remarkable business at the Hollis, Boston, and the indications clearly show that the piece could have been given a run in that city. The engagement will end on Saturday night, notwithstanding the big business, as Mr. W. H. Crane will on Monday begin a short engagement in that clever and interesting American play "The Senator."

"Ship Ahoy!" is rounding out its great record at the Park Theatre, Boston, in splendid style, and the last performances of the engagement are being made of especial interest to all lovers of entertaining and laughter provoking attractions. The company appears only during this week, the matinee and evening performances of Saturday ending this most remarkable engagement.

Y. M. C. A. Convention.

Regarding the recent annual convention of the general secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. of New England, at Burlington, Vt., and which was attended by General Secretary R. A. Jordan, of this city, the Burlington *Free Press and Times* says:

The results of the annual convention of the general secretaries of the Young Men's Christian associations of New England, which has just closed, cannot fail to be beneficial to all concerned. The sessions were characterized by an earnestness and spirit of enthusiasm. The Young Men's Christian Association is doing a work in behalf of the young men of America the extent or importance of which a large proportion of the people do not comprehend. It is reaching the youth in many places where the churches individually would be helpless, and in addition to their Christian welfare it is looking after their intellectual development as well as their physical culture.

It introduces the reading-room, educational classes, and the gymnasium often where otherwise these privileges would not be enjoyed or even thought of. It may seem strange to some but the association is making its influence felt upon the churches themselves, by softening the lines of sectarian division, in bringing together as it does the representatives of all of the evangelical denominations and showing them that true religion is what counts in the end rather than sectarian dogma. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, which is closely allied to the Y. M. C. A., is working along this same line and the system of co-operation of the two organizations in certain phases of work as elaborated by Mr. W. J. Van Patten, must largely increase their power for accomplishing good.

Mrs. Tryon's Lecture.

Mrs. Kate Tryon's lecture upon "Feathered Neighbors which you should Know," to have been given at the Unitarian Memorial Parlors last evening has been postponed to this evening, when there will doubtless be a large attendance to hear Mrs. Tryon upon this interesting subject. The Portland *Press* of January 24th says in an extended notice of the lecture.

In a bright, interesting manner Mrs. Tryon reviewed her observations on birds made during the past season. Mrs. Tryon spent the early spring months in Cambridge last season, and the first half of the lecture was therefore devoted to her observations there and in the neighboring Watertown and Newton. Then, coming to Maine, she took her audience to the Cape, to Darling Fields, to the Western [illegible]

Sunday Services.

Crosby Hall Chapel—Sermon at 2.30 P. M. Sunday school at close of this service. Prayer meeting at 7.30.

Independent Congregational Society (Unitarian), Rev. S. C. Beach pastor Service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12, All cordially invited.

The ladies of the Crusade will have charge of the devotional services in the jail Sunday morning. Services commence promptly at nine o'clock.

The usual gospel temperance meeting will be held in the parlors of the Ladies' Crusade, on Franklin street, Sunday evening at seven o'clock. All are cordially invited.

First Christian church, Hammond street, Preaching at 2.00 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. T. P. Humphrey. Sunday school at 3.15; prayer meeting at 7. All are cordially invited.

At St. John's Episcopal church to-morrow the members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will act as ushers. Printed programmes will be provided for those not familiar with the service.

St. John's Episcopal Church. Rev. John McGaw Foster, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion 6.30 A. M. Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion, 10 30 A. M.; children's festival service at 4 P. M.

Y. M. C. A. Song and gospel meeting for men only in Y. M. C. A. hall commencing at 2.45 P. M., to be addressed by Rev. C. H. Cutler. This meeting will be of interest to young men, all of whom are cordially invited.

First Congregational Church, Charles H. Cutler, pastor. 10 30 Easter service with sermon by the pastor; 11.50, Sunday School; 4 P. M., Easter concert, with address by Rev. B. B. Merrill. Seats free; all are welcome.

The Armada Reform Club will hold their regular gospel temperance meeting at City Hall Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. Wesley S. Haskell will speak and others. Singing by Mrs. Chase, Miss Lord and Miss Wilder. All invited.

Grace Church, Union street, (Methodist Episcopal), Rev. F. C. Rogers, pastor. Easter sermon by the pastor at 10 30; Sunday school at 12. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. General prayer meeting at 7. Strangers cordially invited.

Advent Christian church, corner of Centre and Cumberland streets, Elder J. F. Clothey, pastor. Prayer meeting at 10 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by Elder J. T. Lane. Prayer meeting at 7 P. M. All are invited.

Essex street Free Baptist church, pastor, Rev. C. E. Mason—Half hour prayer meeting, 10 A. M.; preaching, Subject for Easter, The Resurrection, 10.30; Sunday School at 12 M.; A. C. F. meeting at 6.15; Easter concert at 7. All cordially invited.

First Baptist church, seats free, Rev. T. E. Busfield, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 11.30; rally session of Sunday School at 12; Easter concert at 4; Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6.30. All cordially welcomed.

The Central church Sunday School will give their Easter concert to-morrow evening at 7 30. An orchestra of twelve pieces, lead by Mr. Oscar Wasgatt, will assist in the musical part of the programme, which will be up to the usual high standard at this church.

At the Universalist church Rev. E. F. Pember, pastor—10.30 A. M., special Easter services, subject of sermon, "How are the dead raised up and with what body do they come?"; 12 o'clock, Sunday school; 7 30 o'clock Sunday School Concert. All are cordially invited to attend.

Second Baptist church, the "Free House," Columbia street, Rev. George B. Ilsley, pastor—10.30 A. M., Easter services, special music in charge of Allan G. Ray, sermon by pastor; 11.40, Special session of Sunday school; 7 P. M., Easter concert, by the Sunday school, theme, "Easter Joy." Friends and strangers are invited to each of the services and assured of a cordial welcome.

First M. E. church, Rev. Geo. D. Lindsay, pastor. 10.30, the pastor will preach an Easter sermon; 11.45, Sabbath school; with pastor's Bible class, 6 P. M., meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E.; 7 P. M., platform missionary meeting with addresses by Miss Lyford, Miss Bucknam, Mr. Taylor and Mr. Page. Excellent music will be rendered between the addresses. The public cordially invited.

Hammond street Congregational church, Henry L. Griffin pastor. 10 30, Easter service, with preaching by pastor; 11.45, Sunday School; 6 30, Young People's meeting; 7.30, Easter concert. Public cordially invited. People's vesper service will be held a week from Sunday, as usual. In addition to the regular choir Mrs. Potter, Miss Sweet, Mr. Walter Gordon, Mr. F. W. Davis and Mr. M. H. Andrews will assist. Mr. E. C. Adams will lead the congregational singing with the cornet and will also render a solo. "Inflammatus"

Decision in Law.

The following decision in law has been received by Charles F. Sweet, Esq., Clerk of the Eastern Law District:

PISCATAQUIS COUNTY.

Ernest B. Hall vs. Elbridge A. Flanders.

Rescript:

The plaintiff performed labor for another and received from it a written order on the defendant which was duly presented for payment. The defendant promised to pay it, carried it away with him and retained possession of it until the time of the trial. It was not accepted in writing.

The case discloses nothing which can give the defendant's promise to pay the plaintiff any other character or effect than an oral acceptance of the order, and by Sect. 10, Ch. 32, R. S., he cannot be charged as an acceptor "unless his acceptance is in writing signed by him or his lawful agent."

Nor is the defendant made liable by retaining the order in his possession. Even at common law the mere detention of a bill for an unreasonable time by the drawee would not ordinarily amount to an acceptance.

Nor can the order operate as an assignment of the amount named in it. It is drawn in general terms and does not necessarily impart the existence of a debt from the drawee to the drawer.

The plaintiff cannot have judgment for the amount of the order, but may have for the undisputed item of eighty-five cents.

Judgment for plaintiff for eighty-five cents.

New Advertisements.

No one should fail to consult the advertisement of Homestead to-day for it contains information that will be of value to all, as he announces bargains which will save you considerable money. He has all the latest styles in shoes and hats and caps and is making great reductions in the shoe line. Consult his advertisement and learn what can be saved.

Fred F. Hall & Co. offer a great variety of oranges for Easter at a reduction to-day.

Bangor lettuce, lobsters and green stuff fresh this morning at Newhall's market.

A brood mare is offered for sale. See advertisement.

A TERRIBLE AFFAIR.

Mrs. Caroline Tuck, of Haynesville, Burned to Death.

Fire was discovered in the house of Mrs. Caroline Tuck, yesterday morning, at Haynesville, and the flames spread with such rapidity that all efforts to extinguish them were in vain. The house was burned to the ground and Mrs. Tuck perished in the flames, she being unable to leave her bed. Her son, who lives in the next house, was unable to rescue his mother, and was compelled to witness the terrible affair. Mrs. Tuck was sixty-eight years of age.

An Amateur Playwright.

An event which will be awaited with considerable interest will be the production of a play, written by a Bangor author, at the Unitarian Memorial Parlors next Friday evening, at the Easter festival. The new play is entitled The Fish Ball, and is the work of Mr. John E. Hamblen, who has been seen here several times in amateur theatricals with credit to himself. It is a comedy in one act and it will be given for the first time as above stated. The dialogue is said to be bright and the situations amusing. The cast of characters will be as follows: Duke of Bayswater, Mr. J. E. Hamblen; Van Rensselaer Hoffman, Mr. James Crosby; Pisistratus Squills, Mr. F. H. Davis; Mrs. Livingston Fish, Miss Garland; Marion Fish, Miss Edith Bradford; Madeline Fish, Miss Frances Mason.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. M. F. Ricker, of Auburn, is in the city.

Mr. C. A. Reed, of Springfield, is in the city.

B. T. Soule, Esq. of Ellsworth, was in the city yesterday.

A. C. Flint, Esq., is fast improving from his recent illness.

Mr. F. F. Moran, of Bar Harbor, is in the city on business.

Mr. F. W. Plummer of Lewiston was in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. P. Randall, landlord of the [illegible] House, Augusta, is in the city.

Frank W. Cram, Esq., left yesterday on the afternoon train for Boston.

Mr. Joseph F. Bodwell, of Hallowell, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Mrs. O. A. Dennen, of Kindo, is visiting Mrs. F. D. Parsons on French street.

Mr. N. W. Blood, of Millbridge, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Mr. J. A. Hall and Mr. G. A. Parcher of Ellsworth, are in the city on business.

Miss Alice McQuinn is visiting in New York, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ward.

Mrs. Pierce, of Frankfort, and Mrs. S. M. Ware and Miss Edna Ware, of Waterville, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. R. A. Libby returned to her home in Boston on yesterday's 1.10 P. M. train, after a visit of two weeks with friends in this city.

The Misses Helen S. and Clara J. Plumly, of Lincoln, returned home last evening from a visit to friends in Old Town and this city.

Charles Stetson, Esq., F. H. Appleton, Esq., and Hugh R. Chaplin, Esq., left yesterday on the afternoon train for Augusta on a business trip.

Hon. Frank Jones passed through the city on last evening's train on his way to his home in Portsmouth from Sorrento, where he has been for a few days.

The engagement of Mr. C. E. Tilton and Miss Carrie E. Hodgdon is announced. Miss Hodgdon is a universal favorite, and Mr. Tilton as Principal of our Grammar Schools has achieved an enviable reputation. The congratulations of their friends are extended to them, with sincere wishes for their happiness.

Municipal Court.

Friday, March 27.

John Judge, Mark Kenney, and John Kelleher, of New Brunswick, for drunkenness, $3 and costs each.

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ASSETS.

U. S. State and City Bonds, market value	[illegible]
Real Estate owned by Co., Office Buildings in New York and Philadelphia	451,644 70
Cash in Bank, hands of Trustees and Office	136,830 48
Premiums in course of collection	178,806 14
Rents accrued	4 430 98
	$1,[illegible] 96

LIABILITIES.

Unpaid Losses	$82,749 47
Re-insurance Reserve	810,863 67
All other claims	31,912 54
	$925,525 58
Net Surplus in the United States over all	707,348 38
	$1,[illegible],873 96

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JANUARY 1st, 1891.

Incorporated 1881. Commenced Business 1881.

Gross Assets	$832,891 42
Cash Capital	400,000 00
Losses Paid	1,000,000 00

ASSETS.

Cash on hand and in Bank	17,972 1[illegible]
City and County Bonds, market value	30,025 00
Mortgages on Real Estate, worth double amount loaned	670,643 33
Real Estate	18,546 47
Interest on loans due and accrued	19,076 33
Loans on collaterals and Bills Receivable	5,164 96
Due from Agents and others	59,037 43
Uncollected premiums, Home Office	6,436 74
	$832,891 42

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$400,000 00
Amount required to reinsure all outstanding risks	248,044 19
Losses unadjusted or not due	13,104 64
All other liabilities	1,261 65
Net surplus	140,481 02
	$[illegible],891 42

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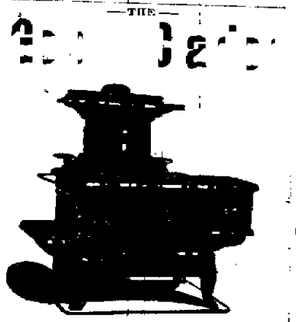

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This evening, however, Windward had a motive for wishing to take a more active share in the discourse, or for at least giving it direction. He wished—in fact, he was resolved—to interject McArdle into the conversation, and, watching his chance, he at length succeeded. Miss Clara yielding the more readily because if there was any one person more than another of her acquaintance that she likes to talk about it was the laconic colonel. She gossiped about him, therefore, to her heart's content in an odd, vivacious mixture of school girl praise and blame. Her anecdotes and smart speeches failed, however, to shed much light on the colonel's history, and so, hoping to make more progress on the other tack, Windward brought the conversation around to the subject of Louise; and here again Clara had a ready made theme.

"She's splendid, but she's deep; that's the only trouble with Lou Sheffield; she certainly is deep."

"Ah?" said Windward, anxious for details.

"Yes, she's deep," exclaimed Clara. "For instance, she don't care much for dress. Oh, no! But she knows how to match her complexion the best I ever knew of."

"Oh!" said Windward, with a tinge of disappointment in his voice.

"But hasn't she manners, though!" exclaimed Miss Willis, with genuine enthusiasm. "I remember"—and here she burst out in a peal of laughter, "I remember the colonel saying to me once in his solemn way, 'Louise is deeply religious, but a perfect lady, I assure you, a perfect lady.'"

And having thus brought the colonel again to mind she pelted him behind his back with verbal bonbons till the delicious fuss at the theatre lobbies and aisles absorbed her whole attention.

After that was over and the vivacious little maiden seated and composed her bright eyes began to count her friends and take the census of the new hats. While thus busied she burst in on some commonplace remark of her escort with the exclamation:

"Why, there's your sister, with Lieut. Quire."

"Where?" asked Windward, giving a little start. "Why, so she is."

"She's real pretty, isn't she?" exclaimed Clara, and added laughingly, "runs in the family—ahem!"

"You can afford to see beauty in other women," replied Windward, gallantly. Whereupon Clara made a mouth and craned her neck as if to see around behind her companion, with the explanation that she was looking after a laugh on the back of his head.

"You won't find it, Miss Willis," said Windward, with impressive gravity. "I am not double faced."

"That's right!" she replied, encouragingly. "That's my way. I talk right out."

"Do you know Lieut. Quire?" asked Windward.

"Oh, yes, some," she answered. "He's—Say, I'm prying, I know, but is it true they're engaged?"

"Who?" exclaimed Windward, astonished. "Floy and Quire?"

"Yes, I heard so," said Clara, innocently.

"Why, no," said Windward, casting a rather alarmed look over to where the pair were sitting. "Not that I know of. No, I guess not. Certainly not."

"I didn't know," said Clara demurely. "They're much together."

"Unfortunately that may not always follow," gasped Windward, not daring to look at his seatmate.

"Unfortunately?" she repeated, sweetly befogged. "You mean you would like the match?"

"Come, Windward, be a man!" he thought, and his head swam. But no, this was not the time or place; and, besides, there was that pledge to his mother. He trembled—but at that instant the drums and trumpets struck up, and the crisis was averted. And though the play was tender, and once or twice the talk between the acts grew ominous, the curtain fell on the stage comedy with suspense still reigning outside.

Then Windward proposed a lunch, and as Miss Clara's recreations had fastened upon her the bad habit of a midnight appetite, the suggestion met with favor. They turned their steps, therefore, to a fashionable restaurant, to find, to their surprise, Lieut. Quire and Floy in a cozy corner with the waiter bending over them. There was nothing to do then, of course, but to put on a smile and make a party of it, though it was provoking, and a little awkward all around. Windward—and possibly Mr. Quire also—was anxious, as it happened to be, on this particular occasion, exclusive. But the fates were adverse. So the only thing left was to order a good supper, with no nonsense or sentiment in it, and divide the bill.

The waiter explained that in oysters they had Tangiers, St. Jeromes, Linn Haven Bays, Cherrystones, Seasides, Abscoms, Saddle Rocks, Morris River Cove, Rappahannocks and Point Lookout, and could serve them steamed, stewed, fried, broiled and roast, as well as raw, or as oyster pie, oyster pastry or chafing dish. The party hesitated, debated and finally quarreled, the ladies choosing a cooked dish, while the two gentlemen showed the true culture by preferring theirs on the half shell.

Then came a time of waiting, rendered shorter by that same time killer that stole fourteen years of Jacob's life almost before he knew it. Whatever Clara was or was not she was certainly good company; and to-night, excited by the play, the late hours, the surroundings and the interesting possibilities, she sparkled with merry graces. Even Florence was won into laughter and admiration, though she would not and could not think of that girl as a sister.

But must she face that fate? She doubted it. She studied Miss Willis all that hilarious half hour very carefully. Upon the whole she was very glad they had thus met. No; she felt safe, and safe because her keen observation confirmed her woman's instinct that Miss Willis did not love her brother. Further than that, moreover, she believed the hateful thing was trifling with him, the foolish fellow, and she should tell him so plainly on the morrow. He evidently was beguiled, how deeply she could not quite determine. It was unfortunate, and ridiculous also; she would have a frank, sisterly talk with him, and that at once. Whatever happened, that empty headed Willis girl should not make a fool of him.

And Windward, on his part, was looking over his plate at his sister, wondering what there might be in that absurd query Miss Willis had put to him. He did not think it possible, and yet he decided to have a frank, brotherly talk with her at once. And Miss Willis and the lieutenant had their own thoughts, too, so that in spite of every one's anxiety to be vivacious and entertaining, there came now and then lapses of silence or an absent minded reply to a gay sally.

The party left the restaurant together, but, as by tacit consent, the homeward paths diverged at an early corner, where the good-bys were exchanged without a very loitering farewell parley at the curb.

And now, for one throbbing heart at least, came a trying time. The moon was up in all her glory, while the shy stars peered through the elfish lace to watch the antics of belated lovers. "Might it not be as well now as any time?" pondered Windward. To be sure, he had promised to do nothing in the whole affair without his mother's knowledge and approval, and yet the time and the mood favored. How would it do to follow this [illegible]

her fertility of odd expression for such lax, and there came stretches of embarrassed silence, till finally in despair Windward began again on McArdle and his relation to Louise—the deference he paid her, the intimacy and the necessity each seemed to be to the other.

Miss Willis agreed it was charming, and then suddenly bursting out in a nervous laugh that was half a cry, she exclaimed:

"I believe you are jealous!"

"I jealous!" repeated Windward, amazed.

"Yes, jealous!" she cried, with a pout and a toss of her head. "I believe you're in love with Louise Sheffield yourself and actually jealous of her uncle!"

"Pshaw, Clara!" he began. He had said it—Clara! And it had come as naturally as the breath that bore it. His heart beat wildly. It throbbed against his ribs like an imprisoned thing that must be freed or die. To the winds with reason, prudence, obedience and every bailiff and fetter of the soul!

"Pshaw, Clara!" he repeated huskily.

"You know better!"

"I know better!" she said, nestling closer on his arm and looking up appealingly in sweet solicitation to have her doubts resolved.

"Yes," whispered Windward, "you know it is you I love; yes, you, fondly"—

"Oh! Mr. Bassett!" she interrupted, with an alarmed look, withdrawing her arm to only a timid touch. "Oh! please don't!"

"Yes, I mean it, Clara; my Clara! Oh, you cannot"—he caught the vanishing little hand in his and pressed it fervently. "Speak, Clara! Let us be happy!"

"Oh, Mr. Bassett!" she exclaimed. "I'm so sorry. I didn't suppose you felt that way."

The solid ground was reeling under him. Was it possible—had he failed? "Miss Willis, he gasped. "Clara" no longer coming spontaneously to his lips. "I want you to love me; say yes, say yes."

"Oh, dear!" sighed the little lady. "Who would have thought it? Why, it's dreadful! I like you so much, and I supposed we were just good friends. But don't you know, of course you don't, though, for it's a great secret."

"What is?" groaned Windward.

"Why, Mr. Bassett, I'm engaged," she said. "Yes, there! So you see it couldn't be; but you won't tell, for it's a secret, so you can judge what confidence I place in you, and how much I think of you."

The stars fell from heaven, the birds lost their voices, the perfume faded from the flowers, love had failed, and youth was over.

"Engaged?" he echoed faintly. "No, I didn't know about that."

"Oh, it's a great secret," she rattled on. "Yes, my heart is not my own, but we have been such good friends, Mr. Bassett; you are so—so splendid! Such a gentleman! Why, I didn't suppose you were in earnest that way, you know. You liked me, of course; I saw that, and we have had such jolly times together, and getting so well acquainted! Do, Mr. Bassett, let us forget what you have said, and let us go on being real royal good friends."

"Oh, certainly, if you wish," said Windward slowly and coldly. He was thinking of what McArdle had said of the idiotic ambition of the crushed rose of love to be the roast beef of friendship. They two, forsooth, to be "friends" after this! On the morrow he would leave claim, family, city, country, life itself, if necessary, to be free again; the sky was scarcely broad enough to cover them both at once.

"You are not angry, Mr. Bassett?" she said, with a caressing gesture.

"Oh, no," replied Windward, with averted eyes. He spoke calmly and gently, and she pitied him. "Poor fellow," she mused, "he's got it bad!"

They had reached the doorstep. "I feel this very deeply, Miss Willis," said the young man, releasing her arm. "I can't tell you how much. And if I had any chance I'd fight for it, too, like a man."

He gave her a last, anxious look, but she shook her head sadly, looked down and was silent. It was over.

"Good night," he said. She extended her hand, and for an instant it lay in his, idly and cold. "Good night," she replied, and thus they parted.

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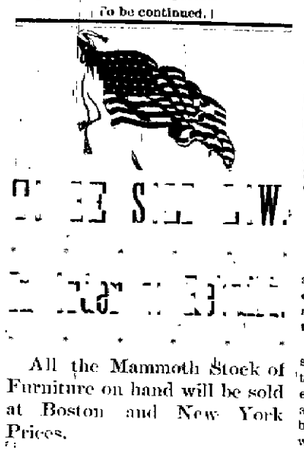

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The ostriches of the California ostrich Company, in Orange county, are to be sold at auction. The venture is said to have been profitable, but the company has other business more lucrative and cannot give time to it. There are 164 birds.

Prominent among the Easter entertainments in New York will be the performances of amateur theatricals by undergraduates of Harvard and Columbia Colleges. These entertainments are patronized by society ladies in great numbers and are among the most charming of the whole year.

Two young women, sisters, were lately committed to the asylum in Stockton, Cal. There seems to be a strong affinity between the two. The suffering of one, when seen by the other, is almost immediately imparted to the one free from pain. They are expected to recover, as they have been in the same condition once before.

The University of Pennsylvania is about to establish a marine laboratory at Sea Isle City for the encouragement and carrying on of research into the problems of marine biology, as for instance, the propagation of food fishes, mollusks and crustaceans. Also, the study of the diseases affecting oysters and other food products of the sea, and the means of combating these diseases.

A West Virginia paper has this hard one: "J. K. Curry of Buckhannon has a mule that when thirsty unties his halter, pulls out a pin to open the barn door, goes to the pump, and, taking the handle in his teeth, works it until he fills the trough, quenches his thirst and returns to his stable, shutting the door after him. He then enters his stall and brays until his owner comes to fasten the halter. This performance has been witnessed by a number of the neighbors."

Young women who intend to hunt in the spring meets should consider the invention of a London tailor, who has designed a safe habit adapted to hunting. When the wearer is standing it looks like an ordinary habit, but at the back there is a kind of detachable apron, and, when mounted, that is tucked away in an ingenious manner about the leg, and being easily detached is said to offer security in the risks of the hunting field.

A sister of Anna Dickinson writing of the latter's illness and of agencies for her recovery says: "The doctors say (what so many have said before) that after a time she should go to Carlsbad Springs for some months, and then have a Southern winter, but it has been impossible. If the men and newspapers who are saying they mean to help her to funds will really do so, all this may be accomplished and her health restored for further good work in the world."

Whose case is this? A man bought a ticket at some place on the "Big Four" for Indianapolis. The ticket was a round trip ticket, good for return to the starting point, for which he paid half rate or one fare. Having sold him the ticket the agent discovered he had not dated the return ticket, thereby by the omission making it unlimited as to time. Discovering his error the agent asked the buyer to return the ticket that it might be dated. The buyer, seeing he had a good thing, refused, whereupon the agent directed the conductor of the train on which the ticket was to be used, to take up both tickets, or to put the man off the train if he refused to surrender the tickets. The man refused to surrender them and was put off the train. The man has begun suit with damages claimed at $10,000.

James Whitcomb Riley lives on the wing; now in the best Indianapolis hotel, then with sister. The next he is off somewhere lecturing. "Think of it," he says, "I never owned a desk in my life, and don't know what it is to have a library." He was asked where he wrote. "Everywhere," he answered, "sometimes on the kitchen table in my sister's house; then in the parlor; and again on the printer's case—just where the fancy seizes me. 'When the Frost is on the Pum'kin' was written on the end of a tall, standing desk in obedience to the editor's cry for 'copy.' The thick line has been running in my head for some time, and when I was told I ought to have a poem in the next day's paper, I just took a piece of paper and wrote out the poem on the end of the desk, handed it in, and never for a moment dreamed of its subsequent success."

For Lady Readers.

THE SPRING FASHIONS.

[From the New York Evening Post.]

The combination of pink with green is still popular, but the new tints must be carefully selected, some shades being agreeably contrasting. Others set one's teeth on edge, so dissonant are they.

Women who like neither the bell nor the sheath skirt, with fan back, and who have tired of plaitings, take refuge in the moderately gored skirt, with either a long apron overdress open up the side to the belt, or with a similar foundation, graced with draperies a la Grecque.

Blue in every shade will appear among the fashionable colors at Easter time. There is a wide choice among green-blues, silver-blues, swallow, navy, gendarme, girl, ocean, drake's-neck, and lobelia, so that all types are amply provided for, discretion in choosing being all that is needed to insure the becoming. Later on, some beautiful summer tints in rose will appear. They will be found among shot taffetas, surahs, India silk, India muslins, silk grenadines, and all the diaphanous dress fabrics.

There are shoulder capes and shoulder capes now exhibited and worn on every side, and yet there's more to follow; for French designers are making the prettiest of lace-trimmed or frilled berthas; pelerines, and fichu capes to be worn en suite with the prettiest of Gretchen, Maud Miller, and Amy Robsart hats, and the dainti-est of dainty toilets of flowered China silk, flowered silk muslin, dotted and sprigged crepes de Chine, and lawns, organdies, and challies innumerable. These capes will be the fashionable wear for months to come. Already we see that their forms are more varied than at first, and the shape and style is less protective and more summery than those to which we have become accustomed. There are yokes on some and not on others. Many are fichu-shaped, with long ends that tie at the back, a la Marie Antoinette; others are merely a full silk or fine wool cape in circular form. Out of this variety it should not be impossible to do justice to one's appearance in the matter of a new wrap.

Very picturesque and striking were the gowns of a quartet of lovely bridesmaids recently who walked up the church aisle in velvet gowns of the fashionable Cleopatra bronze-brown shade. With their "Louis" coats were worn very large collars and deep cuffs of cream silk guipure lace in deep points, such as are conspicuous in Van Dyke portraits.

Some dreadful tones appear in new millinery in contrast to black. There is a dowdy pink which is three-quarters purple. On all bonnets it is placed quite at the back, and is most generally veiled with lace, for no face or complexion would be at all improved by its near proximity. Straw hats and toques made in this tint are nearly covered with trimmings that hide or modify its crude, inartistic gleam.

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